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## COUNTY COMPLETES 100 PERCENT OF STRATEGIC PLAN OBJECTIVES SET BY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

FREDERICK, MD – Over the past four years, the Frederick Board of County Commissioners has worked with Frederick County Government divisions to complete 100 percent of the board's ambitious strategic plan goals established at the beginning of its term.

The board's FY2011-FY2015 strategic plan included goals and objectives based on the following six areas: job growth; predictability for businesses; public-private partnership; enhancing public safety; agricultural preservation, land use and housing, and transportation and traffic. Division directors were tasked with the completion of the goals and 43 objectives. Although education was not identified as a strategic goal, education was addressed within almost every area of the plan.

"In the beginning of the term of this Board of County Commissioners, we set up a very aggressive strategic plan in response to what we felt were the key issues the voters elected us to address. The plan reflected the priorities we identified during our strategic planning session just two weeks after we were sworn into office. We are grateful for the hard work of County Manager Lori Depies and our division directors in helping us accomplish 100 percent of our goals during challenging economic times," said Board President Blaine Young.

A listing of the board's goals and corresponding objectives may be found by visiting www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/bocc and clicking on "Strategic Plan."